

Abstract

A fastener device for use with shoes, sneakers, and boots of the type having eyelets therein which allows for both decorative elements and ease of installation. The improved fastener of the present invention includes a segment of rubberized or elasticized material connected between pairs of opposing eyelets by which the flaps of the shoes are drawn together allowing comfortable wearing and safety from accidental disengagement. The fasteners include a new mounting device which assures sturdy and continuing connection with more holding surface and ease of disconnection.